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that you point out, as I understand it. I'll explain it at the proper time.

PRESIDENT: Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. President, I think it's appropriate at this time that I ask for a point of special privilege.

PRESIDENT: For what?

SENATOR KOCH: A point of special privilege to speak to the Speaker if I might. It's in regard to the remaining part of the day and how we are going to use it. There are a number of rumors running around here and I think some of us want to find out exactly how long this day is going to continue because some of us have other things planned. Is it true, Mr. Speaker, that we intend to stay here until 9:00 tonight?

SENATOR BURBACH: (Mike off) but I believe this is common agreement that we do our job here and finish our agenda but I think it's entirely up to this body what the timetable will be.

SENATOR KOCH: Well, I only bring this up, Senator Burbach, because there have been a number of people around here intimating that we are going to stay here as late as 9:00.

SENATOR BURBACH: Well, if they are agreeable to stay until 9:00, I presume we will.

SENATOR KOCH: But you have not set a time certain, have you?

SENATOR BURBACH: I have not set a time certain, other than to complete our work that is on the agenda.

SENATOR KOCH: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Now to be perfectly clear, you advised the Chair that we may also consider one more bill in addition to the agenda?

SENATOR BURBACH: Yes, there is one bill and I was just going to make certain about. Mr. Warnsholz of the Welfare Department, the Attorney, was very upset yesterday and this morning that LB 926 was not going to be considered. I wish that Senator Luedtke or Senator Schmit would explain the bill just a little bit more than I can but as I read his statement, or heard it over the telephone, that under our ADC laws we must pay, make payment for ADC payments and that if we do not pass that bill, if we do not pass it, we will lose any kind of aid which is already substantiated for this cause and that it will cost the state about a million dollars. I wish that Senator Luedtke would respond

PRESIDENT: Well, I really think we better leave that in order. That's not up now, Senator Burbach. Could we leave that in order?